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# **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : LIQUID CHROMIC ACID 40%

Product code : 2200443-0055-4-000

Manufacturer or supplier's details

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Plating agents and metal surface treating agents

Surface treatment

Restrictions on use : For industrial use only.

## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**GHS Classification** 

Acute toxicity (Oral) : Category 3

Acute toxicity (Inhalation) : Category 2

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Acute toxicity (Dermal) : Category 2

Skin corrosion : Category 1A

Serious eye damage : Category 1

Respiratory sensitization : Category 1

Skin sensitization : Category 1

Germ cell mutagenicity : Category 1B

Carcinogenicity : Category 1A

Reproductive toxicity : Category 2

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

: Category 3 (Respiratory system)

Specific target organ system-

ic toxicity - repeated expo-

sure

: Category 1

#### **GHS Label element**

Hazard pictograms









Signal Word : Danger

Hazard Statements : H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H310 + H330 Fatal in contact with skin or if inhaled. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing diffi-

culties if inhaled.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H340 May cause genetic defects.

H350 May cause cancer.

H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

H372 Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated

exposure.

Precautionary Statements : Prevention:

P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood.

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.

P262 Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/

face protection.

P284 Wear respiratory protection.

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#### Response:

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy

to do. Continue rinsing.

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/

shower.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep

at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT

induce vomiting.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

Storage:

P405 Store locked up.

Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste dis-

posal plant.

#### Other hazards

None known.

#### **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Chemical nature : Aqueous solution

#### Hazardous ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
Chromium trioxide	1333-82-0	>= 25 - < 40

This product may contain component (s) that are not listed under disclosure. All components not listed, do not contain hazardous materials above deminimus disclosure limits as defined by OSHA, NIOSH, ACGIH or Canadian WHMIS regulations and or guidelines. Please refer to other sections of the MSDS for information on safety, health and environmental guidelines and precautions.

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

General advice : Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attend-

ance.

If inhaled : Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Move to fresh air.

In case of skin contact : Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15

minutes.

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately.

Consult a physician.

: In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water In case of eye contact

for at least 30 minutes.

Consult a physician.

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If swallowed : If swallowed, call a poison control center or doctor immediate-

ly.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and

delayed

: Toxic if swallowed.

Fatal in contact with skin or if inhaled. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Causes serious eve damage.

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficul-

ties if inhaled.

May cause respiratory irritation. May cause genetic defects.

May cause cancer.

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated

exposure.

Causes severe burns.

Protection of first-aiders : First Aid responders should pay attention to self-protection

and use the recommended protective clothing

No artificial respiration, mouth-to-mouth or mouth to nose. Use

suitable instruments/apparatus.

Notes to physician : For specialist advice physicians should contact the Poison

Control Center.

#### **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Foam

Dry powder

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Sand

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: High volume water jet

Hazardous combustion prod-

ucts

: Oxygen

Chromium compounds

Specific extinguishing meth-

ods

: Use a water spray to cool fully closed containers.

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. This

must not be discharged into drains.

Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must

be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

Exposure to decomposition products may be a hazard to

health

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full

protective gear.

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Personal precautions, protective equipment and emer-

gency procedures

: Use personal protective equipment. Evacuate personnel to safe areas.

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Use the indicated respiratory protection if the occupational exposure limit is exceeded and/or in case of product release

(dust).

Environmental precautions : Should not be released into the environment.

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Avoid formation of aerosol.

Dam up.

Soak up with inert absorbent material.

DO NOT use combustible materials such as sawdust Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

Clean contaminated floors and objects thoroughly while ob-

serving environmental regulations.

# **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Advice on safe handling : For personal protection see section 8.

Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the ap-

plication area.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory

equipment.

Avoid breathing mist or vapors.

Conditions for safe storage : Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-

ventilated place.

Keep locked up or in an area accessible only to qualified or

authorized persons.

May be corrosive to metals.

Recommended storage tem-

perature

: -5 - 40 °C

## **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

# Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Value type	Control parame-	Basis
		(Form of	ters / Permissible	
		exposure)	concentration	
Chromium trioxide	1333-82-0	TWA	0.05 mg/m3	ACGIH
			(chromium)	
		PEL	0.005 mg/m3	OSHA CARC
			(chromium)	

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TWA 0.0002 mg/m3 NIOSH REL (chromium)

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In case of mist, spray or aerosol exposure wear suitable per-

sonal respiratory protection and protective suit.

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure

limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory

equipment.

Use NIOSH approved respiratory protection.

Hand protection

Remarks : Wear protective gloves. The suitability for a specific workplace

should be discussed with the producers of the protective gloves. Follow the instructions for use issued by the producer.

Eye protection : Tightly fitting safety goggles

Face-shield

Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close

to the workstation location.

Skin and body protection : Impervious clothing

Apron Boots

Protective measures / Engi-

neering measures

: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Hygiene measures : Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling

the product.

When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

Appearance : liquid

Color : Dark red

Odor : No information available.

Odor Threshold : No data available

pH : < 2

Melting point/freezing point : not determined

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

: not determined

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : No data available



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Flammability (solid, gas) : Not applicable

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : ca. 23 hPa (20 °C)

Relative vapor density : No data available

Density : 1.32 - 1.42 g/cm3

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : completely miscible

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

No data available

Autoignition temperature : No data available

Thermal decomposition : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

#### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : May be corrosive to metals.

The product is oxidizing when dried.

Chemical stability : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reac-

tions

: Gives off hydrogen by reaction with metals.

Potential for exothermic hazard

Risk of violent reaction

Conditions to avoid : To avoid thermal decomposition, do not overheat.

Incompatible materials : Bases

Metals

Combustible material Reducing agents

Hazardous decomposition

products

: Chromium oxides

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#### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Ingestion Eye contact Skin Absorption

**Acute toxicity** 

Toxic if swallowed.

Fatal in contact with skin or if inhaled.

**Product:** 

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 250.64 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

Acute inhalation toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 0.42 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist Method: Calculation method

Acute dermal toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 142.86 mg/kg

Method: Calculation method

**Ingredients:** 

**Chromium trioxide:** 

Acute oral toxicity : Acute toxicity estimate : 100 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): 0.167 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 Dermal (Rabbit): 57 mg/kg

Remark: The acute toxicity estimate (ATE) of the ingredients are derived using the LD50/LC50 values where available.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

Causes severe burns.

**Product:** 

Remarks: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

#### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Causes serious eye damage.

**Product:** 

Remarks: May cause irreversible eye damage.

# Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization: May cause an allergic skin reaction.

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Respiratory sensitization: May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if in-

haled.

Product:

Remarks: Causes sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity

May cause genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity

May cause cancer.

**IARC** Group 1: Carcinogenic to humans

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**ACGIH** Confirmed human carcinogen

> Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0

**OSHA** specified OSHA specifically regulated carcinogen

> Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0

**NTP** Known to be human carcinogen

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Reproductive toxicity

Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

**Ingredients:** 

**Chromium trioxide:** 

Reproductive toxicity - As- : Suspected of damaging fertility.

sessment

STOT-single exposure

May cause respiratory irritation.

**Product:** 

Target Organs: Respiratory system

STOT-repeated exposure

Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Product:

Target Organs: No specific target organs noted

**Aspiration toxicity** 

Not classified based on available information.

**Further information** 

**Product:** 



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Remarks: No data available

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## **Ecotoxicity**

## **Ingredients:**

**Chromium trioxide:** 

Toxicity to fish : LC50: 40 mg/l

Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other

aquatic invertebrates

: EC50: 0.162 mg/l Exposure time: 48 h

## Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## Mobility in soil

No data available

#### Other adverse effects

No data available

## **Product:**

No data available

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Disposal methods** 

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Dispose of wastes in an approved waste disposal facility.

Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste han-

dling site for recycling or disposal.

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# International Regulation

UNRTDG

UN number : UN 1755

Proper shipping name : CHROMIC ACID SOLUTION

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Labels : 8

IATA-DGR

UN/ID No. : UN 1755

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Proper shipping name : Chromic acid solution

Class : 8 Packing group : II

Labels : Corrosive Packing instruction (cargo : 855

aircraft)

Packing instruction (passen: 851

ger aircraft)

**IMDG-Code** 

UN number : UN 1755

Proper shipping name : CHROMIC ACID SOLUTION

Class : 8
Packing group : II
Labels : 8
EmS Code : F-A, S-B
Marine pollutant : yes

## Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

## **Domestic regulation**

**DOT / 49 CFR** 

UN/ID/NA number : UN 2922

Proper shipping name : Corrosive liquids, toxic, n.o.s.

Technical name(s) (Chromium trioxide)

Class : 8
Subsidiary risk : 6.1
Packing group : II

Labels : CORROSIVE, POISON

ERG Code : 154 Marine pollutant : no

# **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA 5a : Not relevant

TSCA\_12b : Chromium trioxide

DEA : Not applicable

## **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know**

## **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Component RQ Calculated product	
		(lbs)	(lbs)
Chromium trioxide	1333-82-0	10	25

## SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Acute Health Hazard

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Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting re-

quirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels es-

tablished by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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Massachusetts Right To Know

Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0 25 - 40 %

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0 25 - 40 %

**New Jersey Right To Know** 

Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0 25 - 40 %

California Prop 65 WARNING! This product contains a chemical known in the

State of California to cause cancer.

Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known in the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive

harm.

Chromium trioxide 1333-82-0

<u>Remarks</u>: Components which are only displayed in Section 15 are being reported for local regulatory purposes. These components are not displayed in Section 3 due to one or more of the following conditions being met: being present in the product at concentration(s) below threshold limit values for reporting, not considered hazardous materials, health hazards or because they do not contribute to the overall GHS Classification of the final product as required by OSHA HazCom 2012 final rule (29 CFR 1910.1200).

Substances currently restricted by WEEE/RoHS (European Directive 2002/96/EC, 2002/95/EC) or ELV (European Directive 2000/53/EC):

PBDE	PBB	CrVI	Hg	Pb	Cd
-	-	>0,1 %	-	-	-

Please note: Current legislation restricting the use of certain substances applies to "homogeneous material" in finished articles being supplied to the market. Substances deposited during surface finishing may have a composition (weight percent) higher than the weight percent of the substance in the operating solution from which the deposit is made. Atotech encourages its customers to implement systems to ensure their finished products comply with the regulations in force.

## **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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## **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Further information**

# NFPA: Flammability Instability

Special hazard.

## HMIS III:



0 = not significant, 1 = Slight,

2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, \* = Chronic

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